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SCD REGULATION 23-6

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Organization and Mission - Field

## 1970TH COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON

This regulation is published in accordance with AFR 23-22 and AFCC Supplement 1 thereto, and defines the mission, organization and responsibilities of the 1970th Communications Squadron assigned to Strategic Communications Division (SCD).

- 1. Mission. To equip, administer, train, and provide personnel to operate and maintain satellite data transmitting, receiving, processing, display and communications equipment at Woomera Air Station, Australia.
- 2. Organization. The 1970th Communications Squadron:
- a. Is a Type II AFCC Communications Squadron reporting to the Commander, SCD Organization structure is in accordance with AFM 26-2.
- b. Consists of such facilities and resources at Woomera as necessary to accomplish its mission as directed by HQ SCD.
- 3. Responsibilities. The Commander, 1970th Communications Squadron will:
  - a. Exercise command of all assigned personnel.
  - b. Provide administrative support to assigned and attached personnel.
- c. Provide primary management of resources provided by AFCC for organizational operation and maintenance; provide data to the support base budget offices for preparation of operating budgets, budget estimates and other financial management documents as required.
- d. Manage resources provided by HQ AFCC for TDY, contract maintenance, and other activities as directed.
- e. Plan, organize, coordinate, direct, and control the maintenance effort and maintain responsibility for the accomplishment of the maintenance mission in accordance with AFR 66-1, Volumes I and V. Exercise supervision over the following activities required to provide data to HQ SCD: Maintenance Support, Maintenance Control, Satellite Readout Station, Computer Maintenance, Satellite Communications Terminal, and Telecommunications Maintenance.
- f. Exercise supervision over the following authorized sections: Communications Center, Telephone Switchboard, and COMSEC Account.
- 4. Relationships to Other Units or Agencies.
- a. The 1970th Communications Squadron is a tenant unit at Woomera AS. Administrative and logistical support to this unit will be provided in accordance with AFR 11-4.

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- b. The Commander, 5th Defensive Space Communications Squadron, exercises command of those facilities operated by the 1970th Communications Squadron which are in direct support.
- c. Direct communications required to facilitate performance of the 1970th Communications Squadron mission are authorized with any appropriate agency.

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES Minor changes to Mission statement and Responsibilities.